



## United States Patent and Trademark Office

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE United States Patent and Trademark Office Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 www.uspto.gov

APPLICATION NO	. F	ILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR		ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
09/479,040		01/07/2000	MAURA C. CANNON	•	MOBT:212/KAM	2537
23579	7590	11/18/2004			EXAMINER	
PATREA L. PABST PABST PATENT GROUP LLP			as		CHAKRABARTI, ARUN K	
PABST PA					ART UNIT	PAPER NUMBER
SUITE 120	•				1634	
ATLANTA, GA 30361					DATE MAILED: 11/18/2004	

Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
Supplemental	09/479,040	CANNON ET AL.	
	Examiner	Art Unit	
	Gary Jones	1634	
The MAILING DATE of this communication appeal claims being allowable, PROSECUTION ON THE MERITS IS (exercise) and the previously mailed), a Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85) of OTICE OF ALLOWABILITY IS NOT A GRANT OF PATENT RIGHT of the Office or upon petition by the applicant. See 37 CFR 1.313	OR REMAINS) CLOSED in this apport of the communication of the subject to the subject to the communication is subject to the communication in the communication is subject to the communication is	plication. If not included will be mailed in due course. <b>THIS</b>	
☐ This communication is responsive to the need to correct reference.	erence to drawings in the specificat	<u>ion.</u> .	
The allowed claim(s) is/are 1.3-6.9.11-14.24 and 25.			
☐ The drawings filed on are accepted by the Examiner.			
Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority und  a) All b) Some* c) None of the:  1. Certified copies of the priority documents have I  2. Certified copies of the priority documents have I  3. Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have I  International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).  * Certified copies not received:	been received. been received in Application No		
Applicant has THREE MONTHS FROM THE "MAILING DATE" on noted below. Failure to timely comply will result in ABANDONMETHIS THREE-MONTH PERIOD IS NOT EXTENDABLE.	f this communication to file a reply ENT of this application.	complying with the requirements	
A SUBSTITUTE OATH OR DECLARATION must be submitted INFORMAL PATENT APPLICATION (PTO-152) which gives	ted. Note the attached EXAMINER sreason(s) why the oath or declara	S AMENDMENT or NOTICE OF tion is deficient.	
CORRECTED DRAWINGS ( as "replacement sheets") must	be submitted		
(a) I including changes required by the Notice of Draftsperso	n's Patent Drawing Review ( PTO-	948) attached	
1) 🗌 hereto or 2) 🔲 to Paper No./Mail Date			
(b) including changes required by the attached Examiner's Paper No./Mail Date	Amendment / Comment or in the C	office action of	
Identifying indicia such as the application number (see 37 CFR 1.8 each sheet. Replacement sheet(s) should be labeled as such in the	4(c)) should be written on the drawing header according to 37 CER 1 1216	ngs in the front (not the back) of	
DEPOSIT OF and/or INFORMATION about the deposition attached Examiner's comment regarding REQUIREMENT F	it of BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL n	nust be submitted. Note the	
tachment(s)  Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)	5. Notice of Informal P	atent Application (PTO-152)	
Notice of Draftperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)	6. Interview Summary		
☐ Information Disclosure Statements (PTO-1449 or PTO/SB/08	Paper No./Mail Dat	e	
Paper No./Mail Date  Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit	_		
of Biological Material		nt of Reasons for Allowance	
or biological material	9.		

Art Unit: 1634

## **EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT**

An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

The application has been amended as follows:

In the Specification: page 59, line 13, " (A-F)" has been deleted; page 59, lin3 14, " (Figures 5A and 5B)" has been deleted.

Any inquiry concerning this communication should be directed to Gary Jones at telephone number 571 272 0745.

VV. Gary Jones
Supervisory Patent Examiner
Technology Center 1600